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SUBJECT: RELEASE FROM PRISON AND DEPARTURE OF THREE PUERTO
RICANS

REF: SANTO DOMINGO 5118

1. GANDIA, GARCIA AND SAMPSON WERE RELEASED FROM PRISON AT
11:00 A.M DEC 23, IN ACCORDANCE WITH PRESIDENTIAL DECREE.
PRESENT WERE DEPUTY UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE OF PUERTO RICO AGRAIT,
EMBASSY CONSULAR OFFICERS AND TWO LAWYERS FROM PUERTO RICO, IN
ADDITION TO DOMINICAN OFFICIALS. BEFORE LARE PRESS
GATHERING, THE DOMINICAN ATTORNEY GENERAL OFFICIALLY RELEASED THE
PRISONERS IN THE NAME OF THE PRESIDENT AND THE GODR, REFERRING IN
HIS REMARKS TO THE GOOD RELATIONS BETWEEN PUERTO RICO AND THE
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. IN RESPONSE, AGRAIT EXPRESSED THANKS TO THE
PRESIDENT ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO, LAUDED THE
GOOD WILL BETWEEN THE DOMINICAN AND PUERTO RICAN PEOPLES AND
CITED THE EFFORTS OF EMBASSY AND CONSULAR OFFICIALS AND OF THE
ATTORNEYS IN BRINGING ABOUT THE RELEASE.

2. GANDIA, GARCIA AND SAMPSON DEPARTED FOR SAN JUAN, P.R., ABOARD
EASTERN FLIGHT 737 AT 2:30 P.M. TOGETHER WITH AGRAIT AND THE
TWO ATTORNEYS.
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